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SUBJECT: SUEZ CANAL TRANSITS

1. SCA CHAIRMAN MASHOUR TOLD ME LAST NIGHT NUMBER OF VESSELS TRANSITING SUEZ CANAL IN FIRST WEEK AFTER REOPENING HAS AVERAGED 10 PER DAY. RE RECALLED THAT AFTER 1957 REOPENING, SHIP TRANSITS DURING FIRST FEW MONTHS OR SO HAD ALSO BEEN LIMITED, BUT THEREAFTER GRADUALLY INCREASED IN NUMBER. HE HOPES SIMILAR PATTERN WILL DEVELOP THIS TIME.

2. FEW DAYS AGO FINANCE MINISTER ABU ISMAIL TOLD ME MASHOUR HAD REPORTED FIRST THREE DAYS OF CANAL OPERATION HAD EARNED \$1 MILLION.
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